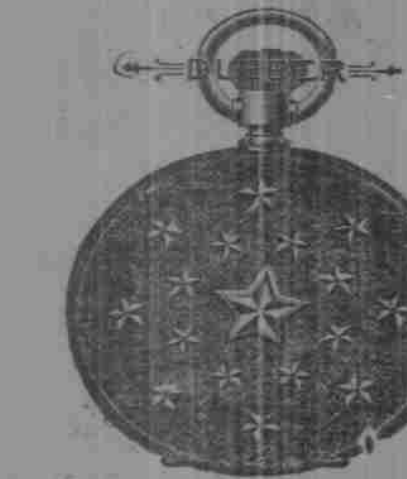


Watch and Clock Sale.

One dozen 8 day mantle clocks, worth from \$8 to \$15, choice for \$7.
One dozen 8 day mantle clocks with fancy wood frames, cathedral song strike, at \$8.75.



I have on hand the following watches, slightly shop worn, which I wish to close out at cost or the following prices before receiving my Christmas goods:

Watches—Gents' Size.

Two 14k gold cases at cost.
One Waltham, P. S. Bartlett, "non-magnetic," full jewel, 15 year filled case, at cost.
One Seth Thomas 7 jewel watch, 20 year gold filled case at cost.
One 12 ruby jewel Hampton watch, adjusted to beat and cold, fancy dial, less than cost.
One 12 ruby jewel Hampton watch, adjusted, \$15.
Two 17 ruby jewel watches, adjusted to beat and cold and position, made to special order, very fine, \$16.
One 12 ruby jewel watch, finely finished, \$15.
One 12 ruby jewel Hampton watch, named "Anchor," adjusted to beat, cold and position, \$15.

Gents' Second Hand Watches.

One R. W. Raymond Elgin in gold trimmed 4 oz. silver case, as good as new, \$10.
One 15 jewel Hampton in 15 year filled case, \$11.
Also about two dozen more Elgin, Rockford, Hampton and Springfield watches in nickel and silver cases, from \$10 to \$2.
One half dozen other gold watches, prices given on application.

Ladies' Watches.

One solid gold Elgin \$15.
One 11 jewel Waltham, in solid gold case, \$17.
One 11 jewel Elgin, in solid gold case, \$17.
One 11 jewel Elgin, in 14k 20 year filled case, with diamond in case, at cost.
One 7 jewel Columbus movement, in 14k filled case, with enamel flowers and 14 diamond in case, \$20.
One 7 jewel Columbus in 15 year filled case, \$13.50.

Ladies' Second Hand Watches.

One 15k Waltham, very heavy case, \$20.
One 11 jewel Waltham, 14k filled case, \$10.
Also several other filled case watches from \$8 to \$12.
One half dozen silk umbrellas, gold and silver handles, at less than cost.
Three dozen opera glasses, mostly pearl, at one-third off usual price.

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NORTH TOPEKA.

Items of Interest from the North Side of the River.

Will Davis has returned from a business trip to Wichita.

Adrian Sherman, of Rossville, is visiting Robert McMaster, Jr.

E. A. Wagner, hay dealer of Meriden, was in the city yesterday.

Clyde Hamlin returned home yesterday, to remain until after election.

Mrs. Anna Gibbs gave a card party to a number of her friends last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stansfield are spending a few days with friends at Lion Creek.

Dr. Lyon's new house on the corner of Gordon and Harrison streets is about completed.

Dr. Raub and Ed. Kennedy went gunning today and left the dogs at home. Sportsmen will understand what that means.

There was unusual quiet over here for Halloween. But few depredations came to light today and they were mostly confined to the northeastern part of town.

Some miscreant threw a brick through one of J. H. Fouch's plate glass windows last night. It struck a stove inside damaging it considerably.

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Halloween jokers took C. C. Nicholson's sprinkling wagon and ran it off early last evening but he went out and found it and locked it up.

Mr. Cool, an old gentleman, who has resided in Meriden for a number of years, was found lying in the road near Rock Creek station yesterday, where he had fallen from his wagon from a paralytic stroke. It is thought that he cannot recover.

Introduced of Bertillon System Dead JOLTER, Ill. Nov. 1.—Gallus Mueller, chief clerk of the Joliet prison, committed suicide today. He was known all over the country and introduced the Bertillon system in the United States. He was highly educated and spoke a dozen or more languages.

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CORBETT'S IN TOWN.

He Tells Something Interesting to a "Journal" Reporter.

USELESS TO ELEVATE THE RING

Or Try to Elevate It Says Mr. Corbett, Naively.

James J. Corbett, the champion pugilist of the world, will appear at the Grand tonight in his play of "Gentleman Jack," and the indications of the advance sale are there will be a big house.

The champion arrived from Lawrence on the Santa Fe at 10:30 this morning and getting into a hack, was immediately taken to the Throop where he registered in a big bank clerk hand, "James J. Corbett, N. Y.," and was then shown to room 14 on the second floor. He immediately called for telegraph blanks and paper and began answering telegrams and letters that were awaiting him.

A JOURNAL reporter found Corbett in his sweater sleeves and his pompadour slinging his pen in lightning fashion. He was writing a telegram to his wife who was thrown from a carriage in New

York City the other day and badly hurt. It is an affectionate inquiry as to her condition.

Corbett looks much like his pictures and as he says, people recognize him everywhere by them. There doesn't seem to be much that is rough about Corbett. He is polite and gentlemanly and was particularly good natured this morning. He has just finished some most successful engagements, and that may have had something to do with it.

"I like the show business first rate, when there is money in it," he said. William Brady, who is a half partner with Corbett in the business, is now in Boston, where he is putting on a new play for the firm. It is called the "Cotton King," and was one that Corbett saw and bought in London.

Mr. Corbett brought something else back with him from England, too, and that is a rather Anglo-Saxon accent. Things and people are "bloody" to him since he returned from his trip over the water.

He seems to be of a rather retiring disposition, too. Although there were 200 or 300 people waiting at the train to catch a glimpse of him, he did not give them much of a chance to make a hero of him he got away so quick.

"I shall probably stay in my room all the afternoon," said he; "I have a good many letters to write, and while I never skip the crowd, I don't go out on the street much to give people a chance to stare and remark. I don't feel easy when they do it, although I suppose I ought to feel used to it by this time."

"I don't like the ring very much. I went into it because I wanted to show these fellows that a man can be a pugilist and a gentleman at the same time. I find it isn't much of a success so far as popularity goes. People don't expect a pugilist to be very decent, and there are lots of folks who don't like me because I try to be. Now there is never much of a demonstration when I get off a train, because I do it quietly."

"I should get off a train half drunk with a bruised face, swore at everybody and pushed them out of the way and made a general commotion, there are lots of people who would whisper to each other and say: 'Isn't he grand?' 'Isn't it wonderful?' I went into the ring with a sort of idea that I could elevate it some. Heaven knows it needed it bad enough. But the job is a pretty big one."

"Since I got into it, I am not surprised, though, that a fighter gets to be surly and ill-natured. He has so much to bear. There are constantly people who are talking at one's heels to fight this fellow and that fellow. They imagine a fighter should fight every six months. I have fought oftener than once a year ever since I went into the ring."

"I know there are lots of people who say I have no right to the championship, but they make me bloody tired. Didn't you read my challenge to all the fighters that wanted at me that I would fight them all in one week? When I laid my \$10,000 down on the table in New York city, before Fitzsimmons, I said: 'There's my money, and if any of the rest of you fellows want to take it up you can have the chance. But nobody said a word. I am going to fight Fitzsimmons now anyway and then I don't expect to fight another fight. I have made enough out of the business to keep me for life and I have saved it. I don't care a—what people say or think about it."

make mention of a few facts in regard to Champion James J. Corbett, champion of the world, as he deems himself. I am forced to assert that such cannot be true. The man who is champion must stand ready to meet all comers. He has no right to pick his game, under any circumstances, as this man Corbett has done. It is true he has consented to meet Bob Fitzsimmons after being forced to do so. He has refused to meet good men and that is not the kind of champion the public is looking for."

James J. Corbett and Peter Jackson were matched to fight last June, and Corbett knows that as well as I do, but he sneaked off to England and remained there until the time of the battle had about expired. Jackson stood all this and tried to arrange another match with him and could not. Then came the Sioux City scheme. Corbett was very anxious to sign articles which he knew Jackson would not accept. This was to fight one year from date, which Jackson refused on the grounds that he thought Corbett had had enough advertising at his expense, but told him he would meet him in three months.

After Jackson had made all arrangements and set sail for the West Indies, Corbett was loud in boasts that he would fight him anywhere; in a hack or in the bar room.

Now again, I would like to ask the public what has Mr. Corbett done to be called champion of the world? In the first place he met old Jake Kilrain in a six round go, when he was out of condition, and was given the decision, which, on the last part of the fight, Kilrain had the best of but Corbett got the decision. That is all right. After that he met Peter Jackson and succeeded in getting a draw, after Jackson had done all the bending and Jackson has offered time and again to meet and settle the difference, but Corbett has refused.

He then met old broken down John L. Sullivan and defeated him, whom Geo. Godfrey could have defeated at that time. Next came Charlie Mitchell, a second rate middle weight, whom Corbett jumped at in preference to Jackson. Now is this meeting all comers.

Whenever Corbett fails to put out his man, there is always an excuse made, such as was made when he met Joe Lannon, when Corbett got the worst of it. Jackson has never refused to meet any man from any foreign land, and won the title of Australia by defeating Tom Lees, who was champion at that time. He came to America and met Geo. Godfrey, better known as "Old Chocolate," and bested him in nine rounds, after a display of science rarely seen in our day. He then met Big Joe McAuliffe, who was the champion of the Pacific slope at that time. He next met Pat. Cardiff, with the same result. Next came his battle with Corbett, which has already been explained. After trying to arrange a match with Sullivan, without success, he went to England and beat Jim Smith, the recognized champion of England, and beat him in two minutes by the watch. He was then matched to fight Frank P. Slavin, whom every one seemed to be afraid of, and compelled him to acknowledge he was his master. Therefore, Jackson is the champion of Australia and England and Corbett the champion of America. Corbett cannot be champion of the world until he meets Peter Jackson and proves himself the better man of the two. If there is really a champion of the



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world, according to Queensberry rules, that man is Peter Jackson. He is the greatest colored gladiator since the days of Melaneux. In other words, I consider him the greatest fighter that ever stripped a shirt in the ring, not barring any one.

The man that is champion must be ready and willing to fight any time. That is, every six months.

In conclusion I will say, when Corbett meets this man Fitzsimmons, he will have to trot faster than he did when he met Charlie Mitchell. Stick a pin there.

Yours truly,
JOHN W. EDMONDS.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

Topeka will be overrun with anxious voters tomorrow.

The suffragists are confident that the amendment will carry.

There is an extra large number of dark-brown tastes in town today.

A great many people will have a load of their minds after next Tuesday.

Rev. F. E. Mallory addressed the noon meeting at the Santa Fe shops today.

The annual meeting of the First Congregational church will be held tonight.

H. G. Larimer is to lecture on "Plato and his Philosophy," before the Unity club in the near future.

Every hardware store in Topeka has a supply of tin horns for use in celebrating the result of the election.

The Shawnee County Teachers' association which was to have been held tomorrow has been postponed.

A young man by the name of Stonebraker was in the city jail yesterday. He came near being one in fact.

Mayor T. W. Harrison and Hon. A. L. Williams will address a big suffrage meeting tonight at Hamilton hall.

Even the street lights in the south part of town were Halloweening last night. They looked like "ghost lights" in the fog.

It is announced that the speakers at the suffrage meeting will answer David Overmyer's anti-suffrage arguments to-night.

The German American league has endorsed Harry Safford for county attorney and Mike Heery for county commissioner.

Republican money has been offered so freely that J. M. Simpson now has \$22,000 at his disposal to bet on the election of Major Morrill.

S. R. Isehart says the arrest of Senator Martin was the result of a conspiracy and that the "Stalwart" Democrats are the chief conspirators.

Some female prisoner in the woman's department of the city jail has written in good hand on the white wall the correct chorus of "Nearer My God to Thee."

Charley McCabe's drum corps will ride on top of the old Tally Ho coach to the Republican parade Saturday night and a shotgun battery will make noise inside.

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her helpers sixty-four children have been clothed for school this fall that would otherwise not have had clothes enough to attend.

An effort is being made by the local suffragists to get the state convention of the equal suffragists to meet in Topeka. The date of the annual convention has not yet been arranged.

Advertising Manager Simpson of the Santa Fe is preparing a new local folder of the new time card for use at the Missouri stations. The new time card will go into effect Sunday next.

Mrs. Helen Johnson of Pennsylvania, National Alliance lecturer, has returned from Colorado where she has spent two months in the campaign. She will speak at the Populist meeting on Saturday.

The only Halloween fire was one at 7:35 last evening in the two story residence at 235 Adams street owned by J. Morgan and occupied by J. H. Phillips. Cause unknown. Damage small.

Sam Fulton, who is well known in Topeka, has been appointed chief clerk to the general manager of the Memphis at Kansas City. He has been chief clerk to the general superintendent of that road for some time.

The Republican boss of the high school have formed an organization with about 75 members. Lee Forbes is president, Frank Curry, captain and Louie Valentine, secretary. They will march in the parade Saturday night.

Grandniece of President Fillmore.

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., Nov. 1.—The wedding of Miss Harriet Fillmore, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fillmore of this place and Heather Rich of New Brighton, S. I., New York, took place here this afternoon. The bride is the niece of J. A. Fillmore, a wealthy railroad man of California and grandniece of President Fillmore.

Straus Brothers Are Independent

New York, Nov. 1.—Oscar S. Straus, ex-minister to Turkey, and Isidor Straus, representative in congress from this city, have signified their adherence to the Independent Democratic nominees, Mr. Wheeler, The Messrs. Straus are brothers of Nathan Straus, who was nominated for mayor by the Tammany Democracy, but withdrew.

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